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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an Extension of Time of Five month(s) to file a Response in the above-identified patent application. This will serve to extend the time for filing the Response to Restriction Requirement mailed December 4, 2001 from January 4, 2002 to June 4, 2002.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, enclosed is the requisite extension fee of \$980.00 for maintaining the pendency of the present application. The Assistant Commissioner of Patents is hereby authorized to change any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-0085, Reference No. 25426/1510. A duplicate of this letter is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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